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Sir:

The applicants received a written Restriction Requirement dated October 4, 2007.

In response to the written restriction requirement, the Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the Group I claims, i.e. claims 1-22, drawn to a method of culturing cells in suspension in a microfluidic device.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account 19-0065.

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